

BOULDER CITY

And News of The Hoover Dam Project

THOUSAND, THREE HUNDRED MEN AT WORK ON RIVER JOB ALONE; TOTAL EMPLOYMENT ONLY 37 UNDER PEAK

Workers on the great Hoover dam project are still slightly less in number than the peak of 3724 at the end of January. They now total at 2989, or 37 less.

The roll of workers on the various projects in detail is as follows:

Tunnels 1,300; miscellaneous river operations, 272; lower level mixing plant, 78; spillways, 162; mechanical department, 309; electrical department, 49; railroad inclined track, 124; gravel plant and pit, 79; Boulder City construction, 144; and general office force, hospital, wholesale, etc., 116. This places the total number of Six Companies employees at 2,633, to which are added 222 employees of subsidiary companies and 134 sub-contractor workers.

ENGINEERS VISIT BIG DAM PROJECT

Leaving last night after a brief inspection of the workings at Hoover dam site and Boulder City, L. S. Oakes, C. S. Whitaker and F. T. Hillman of the Winston Bros. Construction company made a short stay in the reservation yesterday.

The three men are president, vice president and chief engineer, respectively, of the Minneapolis firm, and have been engaged in bureau of reclamation work on the Cle Elum dam in Washington.

While in Boulder City they visited with officials. Oakes is driving to San Francisco by way of Mohave, the other two leaving for Los Angeles by train.

LOWEST BOND IS GRANTED B. C. MAN

Granted the lowest bond that has been set here for a violator of the national prohibition act, Leo Sneed of Boulder City was arraigned before U. S. Commissioner W. J. Flowers in Las Vegas yesterday afternoon, and had his bond set at \$500.

Sneed was arrested March 7, on the reservation, by Boulder City officers, and found in possession of three pints and a half gallon of whiskey.

Charged with illegal possession and transportation of liquor, Sneed pleaded guilty yesterday, and was lodged in the county jail while trying to make arrangements for his bond.

Want Ads Get Results

BOULDER BRIEFS

BACK FROM UTAH
Mrs. C. A. Williams returned from a visit to Santa Ana, Calif., Tuesday. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Ida Coates, who will visit her for the next week.

MOTORS TO VEGAS
Mrs. Woody Williams motored to Las Vegas Tuesday afternoon.

RETURNS TO SCHOOL
Miss Edith Hastings, daughter of Mrs. N. R. Smith, returned to Flint Ridge academy, near Pasadena Sunday to resume her school work.

RYE IS ILL
J. Rye has been quite ill for the past three days.

EXPECTED AT B. C.
Mrs. Tom Price and daughter are expected to arrive in Boulder City today, when they will take up their residence on Ash street.

MUSIC PARTY IS HELD AT BOULDER
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnson entertained with a music party at their home 631 Avenue H Tuesday evening. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. J. Farrell and son, Mr. Foley, Mr. H. L. Norsworthy, Mr. Benny and sister, Mrs. E. Stephens from Los Angeles, who is here on an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benny of Boulder City.

ISLAND ISOLATED
VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., Mar. 9. (U.P.)—The 30-mile long Western Union cable between Nantucket and the mainland was severed during the current storms, it was established late today.

GIANT CACTUS TO BE SET IN SCHOOL GARDEN AT PASS

Banding together for the purpose of beautifying the grounds about the Railroad Pass school house, women of that thriving community are surrounding the building with a desert garden.

Yesterday they journeyed thirty miles to the vicinity of Searchlight, where they located a huge cactus plant, and removed it to the school yard for the centerpiece of their decorations.

Weighing more than four hundred pounds, the huge plant is more than four feet through at the base and will be a unique sight for the many tourists passing through "The Pass."

MEMBERS OF B. C. YACHT CLUB HOLD HOUSE WARMING

A few of the members of the Boulder City Yacht club held a house warming at the new residence of Thomas Price on Ash street Tuesday evening. Those attending were Tom Price, Norman S. Gaisson, William Ellis, Floyd Huntington, E. A. Baker, C. J. Seymour, and Frank Bachman.

TRI-STATE TRUCK LINE IS FORMED

Announcement of the formation of a new tri-state trucking line to handle general merchandise and furniture shipments through Las Vegas was made last night by H. G. Pennington, local man and general manager of the new concern.

Operating a fleet of huge six-wheel trucks to be known as the Golden State Transportation company, the lines will be routed in a big loop from Los Angeles to San Francisco to Salt Lake City and back to Los Angeles through Las Vegas.

Trucks will be on regular runs in both directions, on definite schedules, and operations will start about March 21.

The Golden State Transportation company will be headed by J. Frank Elliott, president, of Los Angeles, General Manager Pennington of Las Vegas and R. E. Kinsey, operations manager, of Salt Lake City.

CHICAGO TRIBUNE MAN VISITS DAM

J. Edwin Tauffer, of the Chicago Tribune, spent yesterday in Boulder City on business and also viewing the work in the reservation. He plans to leave within a day or so.

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SEWING BEE HOLDS MEETING TUESDAY

The Ladies sewing bee met at the home of Mrs. George Heinz Tuesday afternoon. Much work was accomplished after which delicious refreshments were served late in the afternoon to the following ladies: Mesdames David Lees, Fred Holland, Barkley, Vohr, Fred Lamp, Fishay and Kina. The next meeting will be held on the 17th of March at the home of Mrs. Barkley.

TIN BOX FARLEY FREED OF CHARGE

NEW YORK, March 9. (U.P.)—Thomas M. Farley, whose famous "Tin Box" led to his ouster from the sheriff's office by Gov. Franklin D. Roosevelt, was freed of grand larceny charges in general sessions court today.

Judge John J. Freschi granted a motion of the defense for dismissal of the remaining count in the indictment on which the Tammany leader had been on trial since Feb. 29, and directed the jury to acquit him. He was accused of diverting public funds to his own accounts.

The judge held that the prosecution failed to prove Farley guilty of intent to defraud and that it had not been shown that Farley was aware that interest on funds held by him as sheriff were being credited to his own account. Farley blamed his assistants.

The judge also dismissed a second indictment, thus freeing the former sheriff of all charges.

WOMAN PAYS \$100 IN LIQUOR CASE

At the conclusion of a trial marked by humorous aspects, Ruby Langford was found guilty of illegal possession of whiskey, and fined \$100, which she paid.

High light of her trial, in which she was represented by Attorney Roged Foley, was the statement made by one of the raiding officers to the effect that on all raids hereafter, he would bring all customers found in places raided, to the station, carrying their drinks.

PATIENT PRAISES COUNTY HOSPITAL

A striking testimonial to the splendid treatment given indigent patients in the Clark county hospital, under the direction of Dr. Vander Meulen, was voiced last night by Clyde H. Seigfried, who has just been discharged from the county institution.

Interviewed by an Age reporter, Seigfried said that he was admitted to the county hospital on February 26 and discharged March 7.

During his entire stay at the hospital, he said, he received the best of treatment and care, and is especially appreciative of the work of nurses James and Nicholls.

According to Seigfried, all patients are given the same watchful care and treatment, and are grateful for the attention furnished them at the expense of the county.

MISS DAVIN HERE

Miss Alice Davin, of Caliente, arrived Wednesday and left for Boulder City where she will visit for the next few weeks with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Vieberg.

EX-MESSENGER NOW U. S. STEEL PREXY

NEW YORK, March 9. (U.P.)—William A. Irvin, who once delivered telegrams for the Western Union for \$10 a month, was appointed president of the United States Steel corporation today.

Irvin, at 58, is one of the youngest men ever made president of the world's biggest industrial corporation. He succeeds James A. Farrell, who retires April 19.

Like a hero out of an Alger novel, Irvin applied the old-fashioned precepts of working and saving and plentiful burning of the midnight oil to lift himself up by successive stages from his humble origin in the business world.

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